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| <b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</b> |  | Docket No.: BAL6019P0021US                      |
| Serial No.:                           | 09/488,296   | Filing Date: 1/20/00                            |
| Group Art Unit:                       | 1661   | Examiner: Susan B. McCormick <b>SEP 16 2003</b> |
| Applicant(s):                         | Trees et al.   |   |
| Invention:                            | Altered Flower Pattern and Color in New Guinea Impatiens |   |

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Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 3/13/03 in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached Response timely.

| Extension Fee For Response Within: | First Month                       | Second Month                      | Third Month                                  | Fourth Month                        |
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| <b>Small Entity:</b>               | <input type="checkbox"/> \$55.00  | <input type="checkbox"/> \$205.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> \$465.00            | <input type="checkbox"/> \$725.00   |

- A check in the amount of 930.00 to cover the extension fee is enclosed.
- Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 23-0785.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0785. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

By

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